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GLASS DEFENDS CURRENCY BILL

Attacks Root, Alleging His Mind is Affected by Presidential Bee.

STIRS HIS AUDIENCE.

Resents Allegation That Pending Monuey Reform Bill Will Result in Return of "Greenbackism."

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17.—Defending the administration currency bill aganst the "greenbackism" and "flat money' 'charge launched against it by Senator Root in his speech before the United States Senate on Saturday, Chairman Carter Glass, of the House Banking and Currency Committee, arraigned the senior senator from New York in a speech last night for departing from the path of strict truth to further his political ambitions.

Mr. Glass's attack upon Senator Roote's position, unsparing and dramatic in the extreme, stirred to prolonged applause an audience of 1,000 business and professional men that had crowded the hall and galleries of the Jefferson Hotel auditorium to its doors. The speaker was present under the auspices of the Business Men's Club, and devoted to an exposition of the money reform measures now pending in the Senate a two-hour address that for intensity of expression and sheer force has sedom been paralleled.

"On the floor of the United States Senate last Saturday," said Mr. Glass, midway in his detailed answer to the various objections that have been brought against the administration currency bill, "Senator Root, of New York, characterized the measure as 'greenbackism run mad.' Unacquainted with the subject which he undertook to discuss, he described it as proposing a return to the reserve issues of 1896.

"I take it that the duty of a United States Senator to preserve the public from national harm is more than over balanced by his normal obligation never to sound a false alarm and never to permit himself to be deflected from the path of strict truth to gain a point of vantage. And yet he did sound a false alarm, and sounded it upon information which he himsef admits he secured second hand from another Senator.

"When to one's reputation as a senator is added his renown as a great lawyer and his fame as an international statesman, and the subject involved relates to the tender fabric of national credit, when such a man trifles with a subject of this moment, he is guilty, not only of grave indiscretion, but of downright treason to his country."

With Senator Root, Congressman Glass placed President Frank A. Vanderlip, head of the $25,000,000 National City Bank of New York, who has bitterly assailed the note issue scheme of the currency bill as a "flat money" plan. Not a bank expert of reputation,not a lexicographer who can lay claim to the name, and not a single responsible financial journal, said Mr. Glass, will for a moment support that designation as applied to the more than amply secured currency provided for by the bill.

"All I have said of Mr. Vanderlip," said Mr. Glass, summing up a sharp reply to the statements made by the New York banker, "may be accentuated and applied to Mr. Root. God alone knows how men who understand the currency bill as little as to charge it with greenbackism have ever gained control of a bank with a capital of $25,000,000, or have ever attained to a seat in the United States Senate.

"Oh, the responsibility of a man who will make a statement of that kind for political advantage! I can only wonder with John Sharp Williams at the havoc that can be created in the mind of a great man by the buzzing of the presidential bee"

Mr. Glass dealt at length with the statistics employed by Senator Root in his attack upon the administration measure. He quoted from figures adduced by the New York Senator to show what he regarded as a fundamental error in calculation amounting to $500,000,000—a mistake which, he said, was to be expected when one obtains his information second hand.

NEWS OF THE DAY

Members of the Collins family of Old Horton, in Howell county, Mo., whose homes were raided last Sunday by masked men, said to be feud enemies of the family, are arming themselves in preparation for a fight. Paralee Collins, the young woman who was lashed and ordered to leave the State on pain of death, appeared in West Plains Monday night accompanied by Mary Dick Collins, another young woman who was ordered out of the county. After buying arms and ammunition the women left, saying they intended to return to Old Horton and "fight it out."

Six persons were burned to death early yesterday in the incendiary fire which destroyed West End Turner Hall, a lodging house owned by the Salvation Army. Sixty-three persons, who had been reported missing early in the day, were later accounted for.

Temporarily insane by reason of blackhand threats, George Berti, of Chicago, was found in a cell at police headquarters at Pittsburg, Pa., yesterday with gashes in his throat. Berti was arrested in the union station while wandering through the waiting rooms muttering to himself. When called for a hearing Berti was found almost dead. Papers in his pockets disclosed he had fled from Chicago to escape the blackhand.

Many foreign missionaries are in peril from a revolt in southeastern China. British officials were notified that hundreds of natives have armed themselves, and led by agitators preaching "death to foreigners," are burning issolated villages.

Cardinal Rampolla former papal secretary of state, died in Rome last night. The cardinal was not known to be ill, but had several times suffered from serious attacks of influenza, similar to those which afflicted the Pope.

"It is manifestly impossible, sir, that I should be President of the United States. I could not render the service. I would not undertake it. I would not accept the nomination. I could not accept the office." With this declaration, Senator Elihu Root of New York, renounced on the floor of the Senate yesterday any ambition to become President of the United States.

By catching a cross beam as he fell into a blazing lime kiln, near Frederick, Md., Solomon Fogle, a workman, saved himself from being burned to death. He hung for ten minutes before he was able to draw himself up. The kiln flames ignited his clothing. They were nearly burned from his body and his face and hands were terribly scorched. Fogle is in a critical condition. Fogle was trying to repair a kiln.

A man taking an early breakfast yesterday morning at a restaurant in New York, paused for a moment to ask the waitress: "Want to smell something nice?" He handed her a handkerchief saturated with some pungent fluid. When she put it to her nostrils she became faint and had to be revived with stimulants. Harry Donohue, seated at an adjoining table, got a sniff of the stuff also and went to the street and became ill. The proprietor, Louis Cabone, called in a policeman, and the entire party went with the man to the West Sixty-eight streeet station. There he said he was James Dunleavy, 30 years old. His occupation he declined to state. No bottle or other receptacle was found on him, but he was held.

"I have been vindicated by the people of Kentucky and by all the people of the United States of the murder of William Goebel. I can promise you that vindication will endure for all time. No fact connecting me with the murder exists. Since that murder I have been twice elected to Congress. Now I am going to quit the game. I'm going to quit politics. There is nothing in it. I will not be a candidate for re-election to Congress. I'm going to retire to private life." With these words Representative Caleb Powers of the Eleventh District of Kentucky, last night concluded his first public utterance in Washington since his election to Congress three years ago, concerning the charge that he murdered William Goebel. Powers spoke before an audience that filled Odd Fellows' Hall. He spoke for charity, under the auspices of Sons of Jonadab.

GIVES WALKER $5,000 DAMAGES

Abandoned Husband Sued For Alienation of Wife's Affections.

JURY OUT 20 MINUTES.

Richmond's Sensational Law Suit Draws Large Crowds.—Plaintiff is Given Ovation.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 17.—Vindicating him for the humiliation he suffered through the loss of his wife and publicly expressing its belief that he had been robbed of her affections by a conspiracy on the part of her family, the jury, which, during seven days, has patiently listened to evidence and argument in the remarkable Walker-Ratcliffe $25,000 alienation suite; brought in a verdict in the Law and Equity Court last night awarding Thomas Grant Walker, plaintiff, damages in the sum of $5,000.

A motion by Mr. Meredith for the defense that it be set aside as contary to law and evidence was continued for a hearing at a future date.

No sooner had H. Theodore Ellyson,who acted as foreman of the jury, of seven men, announced the verdict in reply to Deputy Clerk Luther Libby, than the court room was thrown into an uproar. Men and women, and even children, clapped a violent and unaffected approval of the verdict and order was not restored until the plaintiff and his attorneys had filed out of the court room and made their way into the corridor.

Outside Mr. Walker was beseiged by friends and acquaintances offering their congratulations.

Lawyers and laymen also surrounded L. O Wendenburg, chief counsel for Walker, whose brillant address to the jury was the climax to the most unique and dramatic civil case ever heard in a Richmond Court of law.

The two Ratcliffe brothers appeared almost stunned by the verdict. They had appeared confident that the final verdict would be for them, and that they would be forever cleared of the charge that they conspired together and caused their sister to violate her marriage vows ten hours after she had become Walker's wife. With a small party of their friends they retired from court and went home.

Surrounded by members of his family, T .Grant Walker stood for a few minutes just outside the City Hall and held a levee with his friends.

Within eighteen minutes, at 6.58 o'clock, the jury announced that it was ready with the verdict, and Sheriff Mercer brought the jurors in. Silence fell over the court room as Deputy Clerk Libby stepped forward and asked if the jurors had decided upon a verdict.

"We have," announced Mr. Ellyson, rising and passing the papers to the deputy.

"We, the jury,' Mr. Libby read, 'find for the plaintiff and assess his damages at $5,000."

Excitement restrained so long burst its bounds, and the room resounded with the clapping of hands and a hoarse buz of approval. People forgot the dignity of the court, and crowded around Walker and his attorneys. Mr. Wendenburg grasped his client by the hand, smiled and hastily left him among his friends.

STRUCK WOMAN WITH BOTTLE.

Negro is Arrested And Fined in the Police Court.

Officer Reid last night found a young colored woman named Mamie Grey in the northeastern section of the city with blood flowing profusely from her head. She charged a negro named John Haskins with assaulting her with a bottle. The officer arrested the accused and he was brought before the Police Court this morning. Haskins in his defense denied that he assaulted the complainant, and said she fell while drunk and cut her head. Justice Caton imposed a fine of five dollars upon Haskins.

Norfolk Fried Oysters at Rammel's Cafe.

MGR. RUSSELL'S REJOINDER.

Washington Prelate Makes Reply to Charges of Rev. Dr. McKim.

Monsignor William T. Russell, of Washington, in one of the papers of that city, today has a lengthy reply to the allegations made by Rev. Dr. R. H. McKim last Sunday afternoon in the New National Theatre before an immense audience. The prelate quotes many paragraphs from colonial history to disprove certain charges made by Dr. McKim. In the introduction to his reply Mgr. Russell quotes the following from Dr. McKim's address:

"Is it not time for all Protestants to take counsel together * * * for the preservation of the heritage of personal liberty, liberty of conscience, liberty of speech, liberty of action."

The monsignor then says: Now, everybody knows that this meeting was intended as a protest against the President of the United States for having exercised his right of "personal liberty and liberty of action." Yet these self-appointed official censors of the President cooly admonish Catholics to cease "meddling in politics." Dr. McKim attacks many of the doctrines of the Catholic Church. I shall not here discuss them. The pulpit is the place for such discussions. The press is for the general public, and the public at large is tired of the religious discussions of ministers.

"I shall take issue with Dr McKim on one topic only. He says: "Colonial America was Protestant. The principles which lay at the root of the American Constitution were born of the reformation." Now, I submit that the two principles of our Constitution which Americans prize most are liberty of conscience and the right of every citizen to vote. I hold that these two principles were first proclaimed and maintained in colonial America by Catholics, and that the spirit of the reformation, whenever it had an opportunity to express itself, was against these principles of our Constituton."

Mgr. Russell makes many extracts from colonial history to prove his statements,especially from the archives of Maryland, in which he states that it is his purpose to show that Protestants persecuted Protestants as well as Catholics, while the latter manifested a spirit of good will towards all faiths, especially in Catholic Maryland. He says:

"The asylum of Catholics was the remote spot, where, in a remote corner of the world, on the banks of rivers which as yet had hardly been explored, the mild forbearance of a proprietary adopted religious freedom as the basis of Maryland Roman Catholics, oppressed by the laws of England, were sure to find a peaceful asylum in the quiet waters of the Chesapeake, and there, too, Protestants were sheltered against Protestant intolerance.

"Is it not true that immediately upon the restoration of Maryland to its rightful lord, Cecelius Calvert, a Catholic, religious liberty was restored by him to all including Jews?

"During the period of religious toleration in Maryland, were not Protestants persecuted and exiled by Protestants both in Virginia and Massachusetts?

In conclusion Monsignor Russell said:

"Some years ago I made an offer to Dr. McKim. I repeat it. If Dr. McKim can prove that I err in the above fifteen propositions, I pledge myself to give any charitable object he may name $100 for every case in which he succeeds. I am willing to accept as judges any fair-minded Protestants."

"I shall have nothing further to say until my propositions are either assented to or denied. There is no sense in prolonging the controversy.

"I should like to ask a further question: When has any important meeting of Protestant ministers assembled together in this country without attacking their fellow-citizens? and when, has a meeting of Catholic bishops ever attacked their fellow-Protestant citizens? Some people never seem to realize that colonial Protestant institutions have ceased to exist.

"Is it not possible for Protestant ministers to unite on any subject, except enmity to Catholics? For God's sake let them get together on some project for the welfare or peace of the world, such as the sanctity of marriage, temperance or charity—! Cannot they do anything except protest against somebody or something?

"Now, my dear Dr. McKim let me assure you the community expects better things of us than these petty bickerings. Let us betake ourselves to the quiet of our studies and prepare our Christmas sermons on, "Peace—good will to men."

POPE'S CONDITION CAUSES ANXIETY

Deaths of Cardinals Rampolla and Oreglia Affect Aged Pontiff.

PIUS' CLOSE FRIENDS.

Pontiff, Visibly Shaken, Drops to His Knees and Utters, "It's God's Will" and Prayed.

Rome, Dec. 17.—The condition of the aged Pope Pius X today slightly alarmed Dr. Marchiafava and Dr. Amici, who were summoned to the Vatican immediately after the death of Cardinal Mariano Rampolla was announced to His Hilliness.

Cardinal Rampolla died suddenly, the result of an illness that attacked him following a religious ceremony. He was formerly papal secretary of state and was considered a likely candidate for the pontificate on the death of Pope Leo. He was a Sicilian, born in 1843, and was of noble family. His temporal title was Marquis Del Tindaro.

The effect of the death on the Pope, coupled with the recent demise of Cardinal Oreglia, was greatly feared by the Vatican physicians. Both Cardinals were close friends of the Pontiff, and it was understood Pope Pius hoped that Cardinal Rampolla would succeed him, recognizing that Rampolla would surely have been elected to succeed Pope Leo but for the Austrian veto which turned the Sacred College to Pius.

The Pope was not told of Cardinal Rampolla's death until his usual arising today. Visibly shaken, the pontiff dropped to his knees where he stood.

"It's God's will," he said, and prayed. He then retired to the private chapel to celebrate mass for the dead cardinal.. Meanwhile Vatican attendants summoned Drs. Marchiafava and Amici, and after the mass Pope Pius retired to his private apartments.

The death of Cardinal Rampolla reduces the Sacred College to fifty-six, and it was said today that a consistory probably will be arranged for January to fill the ranks.

MURDERER CONFESSES.

Georgia Sheriff Rushes Negroes to Stronger Jail.

Augusta, Ga, Dec. 17. — George Hart, one of the negroes charged with the murder of Mrs.Jefferson Irby at Wrens, Ga., Sunday afternoon, confessed yesterday morning to Deputy Sheriff Plunkett. He implicates the other two negroes under arrest. Both of them deny their guilt.

George and Wm. Hart and Robert Paschal were rushed to Augusta at 4:30 o'clock yesterday morning from Burke county jail at Waynesboro for fear that a mob of outraged citizens from a radius of forty miles of the killing would take them out and lynch them despite the military company that was on guard.

While the militiamen might have stopped the mob, many lives would have been lost and Sheriffs Story and Smith, of Burke and Jefferson counties, respectively, did not wish to take the chance of seeing bloodshed. T. Deputy Sheriff Anderson of Burke county, and Chef of Police Johnson, of Waynesboro, George Hart confessed. He endeavored to retract his confession after he reached here but a few questions from Deputy Sheriff Plunkett, of Richmond county, caused him to break down and tell the whole story.

Jacob Castleberg, senior member of the Castleberg National Jewelry Company, died at an early hour this morning in Baltimore. The store in Washington will be closed today and tomorrow and will reopen Friday morning.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The Allison W. C. T. U. will hold a regular meeting at 7:30 o'clock, tomorrow evening instead of 3 o'clock They will meet in the Children's Home.

There was no meeting of the Retail Merchant's Association last night on account of a failure of a quorum.

The funeral of Mrs. Annie Carll, who died on Monday afternoon was held this morning at 8:30 o'clock from her residence, 623 south Fairfax street. Services were conducted by the Rev. C. E. Brandt, pastor of the Immanuel Lutheran Church, and interment was made in the Bethel cemetery.

The Elks' Thursday night dances have been discontinued until after the holidays. They will be resumed on January 8th, when a large dance will be given.

Attention is called to the advertisement of M. Ruben & Sons offering special Christmas bargains. This firm will remain open evenings until Christmas. Goods may be purchased from them on their new partial payment plan. Adv.

ACCEPTING COMPROMISE.

Depositors in Virginia Safe Deposit And Trust Corporation Send Replies to Receiver.

Howard W. Smith, receiver of the Virginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corporation, is receiving a large number of replies from the depositors in that institution accepting the proposed compromise with the directors by which they are to pay $20,000 and have the suit against them for their alleged mishandling of the affairs of the Trust Company, discontinued.

POLICE COURT.

(Justice H. B. Caton Presiding.)

Harry Brown, charged with drunken and disorderly conduct, forfeited his collateral by failing to appear.

John Haskins, colored, charged with assaulting Mamie Gray with a bottle, was fined $5.

A city merchant, charged with offering uninspected meat for sale, had his case continued.

HAS MANGLED EAR.

The name of Harry Brown was on the docket of the Police Court this morning He was arrested yesterday for drunken and disorderly conduct, and later left collateral for his appearence. He could not be found this morning when the case was called and forfeited collateral.He was rearrested today on the same charge when it was found that one of his ears was nearly severed. When asked how he was injured he alleged he became involved in a difficulty and his antogonist chewed his ear. A physician later attended Brown.

SOLD FOR FIFTY MILLIONS.

Duke of Bedford Disposes of Real Estate Held by Family Since 1540.

London, Dec. 17.—What is declared to be the greatest land sale ever recorded was consummated today when Mallaby Deeley, M. P., purchased the whole of the Duke of Bedford's Convent Garden estate in the heart of London.

The price paid for the property was upward of $50,000,000.

Stockholder's Meeting.

Notice: The annual meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of a board of directors for ansuing year and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the Company No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 8th, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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Miss MacVane Exonerated.

Rome, Dec. 17.—The Italian government today assured Ambassador Thomas Nelson Page that its suspicions against Miss Dorothy MacVane, formerly of Cambridge, Mass., were groundless, and that its surveillance of the opera prima donna would end immediately.

Miss MacVane, because she looked at Italian fortifications and received leters from a naval officer and a diplomat, was suspected of being a spy. Her sister, Miss Edith MacVane, complained to Ambassador Page.

STEAMER COLLIDES WITH A SCHOONER

Crash Almost Disables Bay State Liner Tennessee Last Night.

STEAMER WAS RACING.

When Crash Came Was Rushing in Attempt to Beat Two Other Boats to Boston.

New York, Dec. 17.—Speeding toward Boston in a race with two other steamers, the Bay State Line steamboat, Tennessee, bound from New York to Boston, with 500 passengers, collided with the schooner Mattiebassett, and was so seriously damaged that she was forced to turn back, arriving at her pier here early today.

The collision occurred in the night. A big hole was torn in the side of the Tennessee. The promenade deck was ripped up, two staterooms were ruined and her pilot house was wrecked. The bowsprit and jib of the schooner were carried away.

When the passengers were put ashore here scores were exceedingly angry because the Tennessee reached her pier too late for them to catch a train for Boston. August Van Hamlet said:

"It is a wonder no one was struck and injured when the boats collided. There was great excitement, however, and several women became hysterical."

VETERAN ACTOR DEAD.

Harry Lindley Passes Away. Stage Career Covered Fifty Years.

Suffolk, Va., Dec. 17.—Harry Lindley, a veteran actor, of 55 years on the stage, died here Monday night after a brief illness at a local hospital, aged 75 years.

Mr. Lindley ran away from Maynooth, Ireland, in 1861, and landed at Wilmington N. C., on a blockade runner. He joined the Confederate army, and fought through the war.

He claimed Booth ,Forrest McNelll, and General A. P. Hill, and Joaquin Miller as friends, and in a remarkable scrap book kept by him dating back to the sixties,are letters, pictures and messages from celebrities long since passed away.

He played in Richmond years ago, and was at the head of the Harry Lindley Stock Company.

He is survived by seven children and a widow, all of whom are on the stage One daughter, Mrs Dora Mystic Aiman, playing with a stock company in this city this week, was with her father at the end.

Lindley claimed to have played in every place in the great Northwest from North Bay to Skagway, and every mining camp in the Rockies during the seventies.

The body will be buried in Suffolk.

NEGRO DIES IN CHAIR.

Slayer of Rival in Camden Pays Penalty.

Trenton, Dec. 17.—Edwin Williams, colored, of Camden, was electrocuted in the State prison last night for the shooting of William Miller, on September 4. Williams found Miller in the company of Penny Stewart, with whom he had been friendly, and in a drunken and jealous rage, shot Miller. The body will be shipped to McCall, S. C., where the murderer's parents reside.

Stuart Ellis has sold to C. E. Nicol a lot on the southwest corner of Wilkes and Patrick streets.

Stockholder's Meeting.

Notice: The annual meeting of the Ontario Apartment House Company for the election of a board of directors for the ensuing year and the transaction of other business will be held at the office of the company, No. 123 South Royal street, Alexandria, Va., January 8, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock A. M.

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Women's one-corner-embroidered handkerchiefs, put up 6 in fancy workbasket for 85c
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria-- Happenings in Society.

Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, president of the National Council of Women, returned home last night from New England, and will remain here until after the Christmas holidays.

The "Kit Kats" met yesterday afternoon with Miss Clarence Snowden at her home on King street. Those present were Mrs. Richard Gibson, Mrs. Milton French, Miss Edith Snowden, Miss Alice Anderton, Miss Mary Snowden, Miss Georgie French, Miss Ellen Fawcett, Miss Susie Fawcett, Miss Lisa Anderson.

Mr. Eugene L. Lindsey, of the U. S. Forest Service, now stationed at Luray, Va., is visiting his mother, Mrs. Katherine Lindsey, in Braddock Heights.

The members of the Rectors Aid Society of St. Paul's Church gave a delightful silver tea yesterday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock in the Norton Memorial Hall. The rooms were beautifully decorated in red carnations and red shaded candleabra Miss Rose McDonald received the guests who included the ladies of St. Paul's congregation together with a number from Christ and Grace Church.

Mrs. George H. Evans and Mrs. Henry Wattles presided at the tea table assisted by Mrs. Thomas B. Cochran, Mrs. Herbert Oliver, Mrs. Russell Rittenour, Miss Emily Johnson, and others. The fancy tables had a number of attractive and useful articles suitable for Christmas presents, which were soon disposed of. The ladies having these in charge were Mrs. William E. Bain, Mrs. Isaac Gregg and Mrs. Armstead Eggborn.

Miss Mary Custis Lee, daughter of General Robert E. Lee, is the house guest of Mrs. Thomas F. Turner, 1311 New Hampshire avenue, northwest, Washington, D. C. Mrs. Turner and Miss Lee will entertain at home this afternoon from 4 to 7. A number of Alexandrians are attending the tea.

TO VISIT WASHINGTON.

Members of Old Dominion Commandery to Accompany Grand Commander.

A large number of members of Old Dominion Comandery, No. 11, Knights Templar, will accompany Chester A. Gwinn, eminent commander, on a visit to Potomac Commandery, No. 2, of the District of Columbia, tonight. The Templars, will leave here at 6:45 p. m., and will be in uniform. The degree of the order of the temple is to be conferred by the Washington commandery. On Friday night the members of Potomac Commandery will make a return visit to this city. Preparations are being made by Old Dominion Commandery for their annual observance of Christmas. The toasts to the grand master of Knights Templar in the United States will be drank at noon on Christmas day.

CAMERON CLUB CONCERT

Elaborate Program Will Be Rendered Tomorrow Night at Opera House

An elaborate programme has been prepared for the concert to be given tomorrow night at the Opera House under the auspices of the Cameron Club. The funds derived from the entertainment as to pay the expenses incident to the medical inspection of the public schools. Selections by the Lone Star Camp band, chorus of Christmas carols by fifty girls, exhibitions by the Boy Scouts, and a number of musical selections by well-known artists are on the program.

The program to be given follows: Overture, "Lone Star Camp, No. 1," American Indian Guard Band, under the direction of W. S. Nicklin and Prof. F. L. Plitt; chorus, "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," old English Christmas carol, fifty girls under direction of Miss Blanche Rotchford and Mrs. Frank T. King; mandolin quartette, M. K. Hammill, Leonard Chesser, Harry Padgett, and Herman Chesser; vocal solo, Miss Margaret Finks; quartette, "The Maid of the Fleur-de-Lis," Mrs. R. F. Downham, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Kenneth W. Ogden, and George H. Evans; chorus, "Tenting Tonight," Boy Scouts, under direction of S. B. Fowler and Harry Rudd, the latter scout master of Troop No. 1; vocal duet, "Excelsior," Miss Blanche Rotchford and Randolph Solomon; quartette, "Rigoletto," Mrs. R. F. Downham, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Kenneth W. Ogden and George H. Evans; chorus, old Christmas carols, fifty school girls, under direction of Miss Blanche Rotchford and Mrs. Frank T. King; descriptive motion song, "Good Night, Santa Claus," Master Bernard Yates; accompanists, Mrs. C. G. Lennon, Mrs. Frank T. King, Miss Edith Rotchford, and Sherman B. Fowler; violinist, Miss Caroline Kast; cornetist, Miss Dora Varney.

ALLEGED BICYCLE THIEVES.

Attempted to Dispose of a Machine For One Dollar.

Officer Roberts yesterday got on the trail of two youths who were endeavoring to sell bicycles in this city at almost any price, and took them in charge. It is alleged that previous to their arrest the youths entered a saloon and offered one of the wheels to the proprietor for one dollar. They gave their names as Raymond Johnson and Lloyd Long. Later officers from Washington came to this city and took them in charge. It is said the youngsters stole the wheels in the capital city.

MEN! MONEY SAVING NEWS.

The Kaufman Clothing Company, of Washington, is offering through an advertisement in the Gazette today, special coupons which offer men an opportunity of saving as much as $7 on a single purchase. In presenting these coupons for discount, we ask, as a special favor, that you mention that you clipped them from the Alexandria Gazette.

CLAIMS OF CHURCHES

Bill Carries 85 Items, Aggregating $110,729—Alexandria Churches Interested

Alexandria city and the counties of the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia fared well in the omnibus bill, making appropriations for the payment of certain claims growing out of damages to property during the civil war, which passed the House of Representatives on Monday. Out of 175 items for the entire state of Virginia there are 85 items, aggregating $110,729, for the Eighth district.

Among the items in which Alexandrians are interested are the following: Alfred street Baptist Church, $900; First Baptist Church, $3,900; St. Paul's Episcopal Church, $2,000; Second Presbyterian Church, $4,300; Washington street Methodist Episcopal Church South, $4,600.

The bill for the payment of damages to property in the Eighth Congressional district of Virginia has been before Congress for many years being presented annually at the beginning of each session. Most of the claims have long since been acknowledged by the Court of Claims, and on certain occasions, the bill has appealed to one or the other house of Congress, but in the rush and hurry incident to the closing days of Congress the bill has failed to get through both houses.

Every representative from this district has had these claims as his heritage, Lewis McKenzie, E. M. Braxton, Eppa Hunton, John S. Barbour, Elisha Meredith, John F. Rixey, and our present Congressman, Hon. C. C. Carlin, having labored earnestly to get them through both branches of Congress.

Most of the Alexandria churches were virtually closed during the civil war, they being used as hospitals or barracks. They all suffered damage by being subjected to such usage.

One cold Saturday night the four-years' conflict, the Army of the Potomac, having met with a reverse, was hurried back to Alexandria, the base of supplies. The soldiers were without shelter, and it was at first proposed to take possession of private dwellings, thus forcing the occupants into the kitchens, or cellars, if necessary. The officials later concluded to take possession of the churches, and the next day all the places of worship in the city, save two or three, were being used for other purposes than those for which they were intended.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad but loving remembrance of our dear mother, Adelia Struder, who departed this life December 17, 1911, two years ago today.

God called her home, it was His will,
But in our hearts we love her still,
Her memory is as dear today
As in the hour she passed away.

By her daughters, Nettie and Lou.

We have 100 loads of good foundry cinders that we will give away for the hauling. Apply to the Alexandria Iron Works, Royal and Wilkes street. 17-3t.

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We have assembled what we believe to be the finest collection we have ever shown. Entirely new decorations and shapes, and new sets, too. They are gifts that will be remembered, and are highly serviceable.

Many new things from the Japanese of our direct importation.

Jelly Sets, consisting of tray and six individual side dishes, $1.25 and upward.

Condiment Sets; tray, salt and pepper shakers, mustard jar, and toothpick holder, $1.00 and upward.

Cake Sets, large cake or bread plate and six individual plates, $2.25 to $5.00 each.

Salted Almond or Olive Sets, daintily decorated footed bowl and six individual cups, 50c to $2.25.

Celery Trays, new decorations and new shapes, celery tray and six salted dips, $1.00 to $2.75.

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Start the Table Silver Now

Select one of our beautiful and staple colonial patterns; patterns you can add to from time to time till completed.

You may begin with the Sugar Spoon, $1.50; Butter Knife, $2.25, or 1-2 dozen tea Spoons, $5; then dessert, soups and table Spoons; knives and forks, and conclude with the individual serving pieces that range from $1.50 to $10.00.

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Gent's 14 k Solid Gold Watches, Waltham or Elgin movement. Special $16.50.

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Solid Gold Cuff Buttons, including monogram, $1.75 to $6. With diamonds $3 to $10

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The newest in fancy shape Signet Rings with raised initials, $7 to $12 With Masonic or Odd Fellow emblem with diamonds, $10 to $75.

Men's Solid Gold Signet Rings, heavy weights, $5 to $10. Lady's Signet Rings $3 up

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For the gift buyer showing what you can buy to the very best advantage here—and for your convenience grouped by prices.

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Pocket Knives, Shaving Brushes, Photo Albums, Drinking Cups, Indian Clubs, Dumbbells, Playing Cards, Razor Strops, Base Balls, Cigar Lighters, Ice Skates, Bicycle Bells, Safety razors, Foot Balls, Roller Skates, Boy's Base Ball Suits, Boxing Gloves, Brownie Cameras, Exercisers, Boy's Sweaters, Air Rifles, Jerseys, Pennants, Umbrellas, Collar Bags, Wool Gloves, Jewelry, Mufflers.

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NEWS OF THE OLD DOMINION

EXPLODING TANK BREAKS LEG.

Blow Torch Used to Melt Connection And Blast Hurled Man 20 Feet.

Norfolk, Dec. 17.—George Tabet, 35 years old, is in a serious condition at St Vincent's Hospital following the amputation of his right leg below the knee which was made necessary on account of injuries received Monday afternoon when the gasoline tank of an automobile exploded in the Granby Street Garage, Granby street and Wilson avenue.

Bert Nevelle, one of the owners of the garage and Tabet were working on an automobile belonging to a Mr. Castleman, of Richmond. According to Nevelle, Tabet was ordered to cut off one of the three connections leading from the tank. Instead of sawing the connection, Tabet is said to have secured a blow torch with which he intended to melt the connection so as to make a neat job.

He carried the torch near one of the connections in the tank which was empty, but the fumes of the gasoline still remaining in the tank exploded. Tabet was thrown 20 feet to the other side of the garage and a piece of iron flange struck his right leg, causing a compound fracture. Tabet was rushed to St. Vincent's Hospital where it was found necessary to amputate the leg.

Nevelle, who was under the car making some minor repairs, was thrown around considerably by the force of the explosion. Except for the damage to the tank, the automobile was not damaged.

DEMANDS MONEY OF FATHER.

Youth Charged With Attempting to Shoot Parent Who Refused Cash.

Norfolk, Dec. 17.—J. V. Tobin, 18 years old, 217 Plume street, was arrested late Monday night on charges of attempting to shoot his father, T. F. Tobin, and of carrying a concealed pistol. He was placed under arrest by J. E. Parr, superintendent of the Cty Home, where the trouble is said to have occurred.

T. F. Tobin is employed as a nurse at the City Home. Young Tobin is said to have gone to the home Monday afternoon and asked his father for some money which he said was due him. The elder Tobin is said to have refused his son's demands. It is charged that he drew a revolver he was carrying and telling his father that he would shoot him if he did not give him the money, forced the old man to accede to his request. Superintendent Parr heard of the trouble and placed young Tobin under arrest, bringing him to police headquarters in the City Home wagon.

Tobin was released under a bond of $200 to appear in Police Court.

NOTICE.

Elliott's 5 and 10 Cent Store will be open evenings until Christmas.

C. & O. SMASHES RECORDS.

2,253 Cars Loaded in One Day—Dumped 747 Cars at Newport News.

Richmond, Dec. 17.—On Monday the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad broke several records in the handling of coal and other freight. For the day there were handled 2,900 cars over the great bridge at Cincinnati—a new record in that respect.

Coal is being handled at enormous rates by the road, there being loaded Monday at the New River, Kanawha and Kentucky coal fields no less than 2,253 cars, with a total tonnage of 105,920. This is 2,770 tons in excess of the best previous record.

Cargo coal was also dumped at Newport News in considrable volume, the number of cars sent to the piers and put on board of vessels reaching 747 cars, with a tonnage of 34,009, this being 2,444 tons in excess of the best previous record.

FIRE AT LYNCHBURG.

Blaze of Undetermined Origin Razes Buildings in Business District.

Lynchburg, Va., Dec. 17.—Fire yesterday in the business section here caused a property loss estimated at $260,000. Nearly all the loss is covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Property destroyed included the Adkins Hardware Company, retail department of the J. P. Bell Publishing Company, Baldwin's dry goods store, and Kinkle's shoe store.

The fire originated in the Adkin's Hardware Company.

BONDSMEN RESPONSIBLE.

Auditor Moore Declares Many Commissioners of Revenue Are Remiss.

"Commissioners of the revenue in every part of the State are liable on their official bonds for failure to assess all property in their districts," said Auditor C. Lee Moore, when discussing the matter of omitted taxes as disclosed by reports of Examiner Sands.

"These omitted taxes in many cases occurred in the lives of the men whose estates are now being made to pay such taxes. There are many cases in which commissioners of the revenue are not getting the property belonging to living men. It is this for which they are liable on their official bonds. It may become necessary for me to take action in some of the cases, as much as I may regret being forced to take such a step."

Mr. Moore says that so far he has not heard from a solitary examiner of records in any part of the State, other than this city, where the officers are doing their sworn duty. He does not understand why it is.

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STAUNTON GOES DRY AGAIN.

Saloons Will be Compelled to Close in Ninety Days.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 17.—After being dry two years and then wet two years, Staunton again voted dry yesterday. The majority was 98 out of a total vote of 1,439. The election was quietly but bitterly fought.

Four negroes were arrested, charged with selling their votes to the liquor men. They were taken before a magistrate and released on $200 each for a hearing on Thursday. The fight was led for the "drys" by Prof. C. T. Jordan. Two detectives were employed by the "drys" and they worked for several weeks in advance of the election. Many negroes against whom suspicion of bribery rested failed to vote. The saloons will close in ninety days.

REWARD FOR MURDERERS.

Captain James E. Marks Left Dead on Oyster Sloop. Men Disappear.

Richmond, Dec. 17.—The supervisors of Accomac county have offered a reward of $250 for the arrest and conviction of the murderers of Captain James E Marks, captain of an oyster boat, about a week ago.

Captain Marks had shipped a crew of men and was gone for two days, when the boat was found drifting without a soul aboard. It was shown that they had taken the gasoline launch from the sloop and gone ashore and left the boat on the beach. They have not been seen since.

Governor Mann has added $250 to the reward for the men or information leading to their apprehension.

Death of Mrs. Broadus.

Charlottesville, Va., Dec. 17.—Mr. Charles G. Sinclair has received a telegram announcing the death, in Lousvlle, Ky., of his sister, Mrs. Charlotte E. Broadus, widow of Dr. John A. Broadus, the noted Baptist divine, who was for a long time president of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary. Mrs. Broadus was a daughter of the late George Sinclair, Sr., of "Locust Grove," near this city, where she was born October 28, 1836.

Judge Rules Against Trehy.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 17.—Judge R. H. L Chichester in the first day hearing of the election contest yesterday ruled that the contestants could amend their bill of complaint. Counsel for James B. Trehy, and B. Gray Tunstall, whose right to the office of Clerk of the Courts and City Treasurer are being contested by the Citizens' Party candidates, argued that as the law specified that notice of contest should be filed ten days after election it was too late to file an amended bill. Judge Chichester declared that he wanted to get at the truth of the matter and would hear the amendments and rule out what he thought was improper.

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Leather Hand bags	25c to $7.50
White Table Cloths	98c to $5.00
Dinner Napkins, dozen	$1.00 to $6.50
Table Covers	98c to $3.50
White Aprons	25c to 50c
Gingham Aprons	25c to 50c
Red Table Covers	50c to $2.50
Handkerchiefs	5c to $1.50
Sweaters	98c to $5.00
Umbrellas	$1.00 to $10.00
Shirt Waists	98c to $2.50
Initial Handkerchiefs Box,	50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50
Pocketbooks	25c to $1.50
Walking Gloves, pair	$1.00, $1.50 $2.00
Long Kid Gloves, pair	$1.98 to $3.50
Wool Shawls	50c to $2.50
Bureau Scarfs	25c to $3.00
Pillow Shams	25c to $2.98
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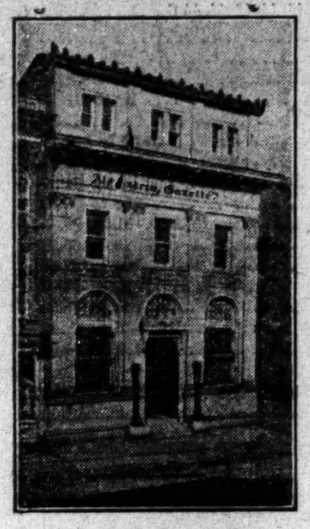

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TARIFF WORKING SATISFACTORILY.

Articles in the London Times and Philadelphia Record referred to in yesterday's Gazette show that the prophecies of Republicans concerning the operations of the new tariff bill which went into effect last October have fallen flat, and thath American industries are not depressed under the present order of things. The same old bogy man is being flaunted in the faces of sensible people in futile attempts to make the country believe that the republican party is the only organization that can conduct public affairs on business principles, and that when it is relegated to the rear distress is inevitable.

In the early part of the seventies, when Ulysses S Grant was President of the United States and the republican regime prevailed, the most disastrous panic in the history of the country took place, starting with the collapse of Jay Cooke and Co. This was not local, but people in every section of the country had invested their all in the bonds they were selling. A period of depression followed which was no "black Friday," but many years elapsed before the dismal cloud vanished. It will ever be known as the dark days of the United States.

"The effort of a little coteries of moneyed men who control big finances in this country to bring about panicky conditions in railroad, manufacturing and commercial industries because of the passage of the new tariff law and the proposed currency and trust legislation is going to prove a failure," says Senator Simmons, chairman of the Senate Finance committee.

"Certain men who control hundreds of millions of dollars and have been trying to bring about conditions that would frighten the President and Congress, but the Democratic platform pledges as to the tariff have been carried out, and those on currency and monopolies will be carried out.

"You cannot put your hand on the men who are calling in their money, or dropping off their laborers, but you can see signs of their efforts. The 'nigger' is coming out of the woodpile.

"A big concern like J. P. Morgan & Co., of New York, dominates would not mind losing $40,000,000 or $50,000,000 in a financial crash if it could block certain legislation.

"The truth is these great rich men of affairs have had control so long that they cannot now realize that they must call at the White House and the capitol as other people do. They still believe they will dominate."

Senator Simmons made the foregoing comment upon receiving Secretary Redfield's report showing that America's foreign trade is still growing and that business is good. The Senator declared that the report justified all the claims of the President and Democratic leaders in Congress during consideration of the tariff bill.

The Redfield report shows "a falling off of imports in the first four months—July, August, September and October—of the fiscal year of nearly $46,000,000 as compared with the same period of 1912."

"The flooding of our markets, therefore," says Mr. Redfield, "with the alleged cheap wares of Europe has not happened. October, during which these floodgates were supposed to be opened, shows no such rush of importations as some have both threatened and feared.

"On the other hand, the growth of exports in the same four months of nearly $68,000,000 is both surprising and encouraging. This is not only so when the bulk of almost $839,000,000 of exports in four months is considered, but becomes more so when the regular progressive growth of those exports is examined. Just as October shows relatively small imports, as compared with those that were by some expected, so it shows large to an unexpected degree, exceeding September in this respect by over $53,000,000.

"If we examine the details of the exports, it will be found that the same growth in the exports of manufactures which marked the last fiscal year is continuing now. The total exports of manufactures have grown by $9,000,000 as compared with last year, and of the aggregate of manufactures fully finished goods form 52 per cent., thus being more than equal to the two other classes of manufactured exports taken together.

"There can be no inference drawn from the above hard facts that is not both encouraging and complimentary to American industry"

MILITANTS CHURCH VANDALS.

Smash Stained-Glass Window And Fire Edifice.

Liverpool, Dec. 17.—The suffragette arson squad yesterday did extensive damage to St. Anne's Church here. The stalls on the south side of the church were destroyed and the splendid organ was seriously damaged.

Entrance was gained to the church through a stained-glass window which the incendiaries smashed.

The usual suffrage literature was left scattered about the place to indicate that the fire was intended as a protest against the Government's treatment of Mrs. Pankhurst.

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Stockholders Meeting of the American Rutile Company of Virginia.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the American Rutile Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 111 South Fairfax St., Alexandria Virginia, on Monday, the 5th day of January, 1914, from 12 o'clock noon to 1 o'clock P. M., for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as can be lawfully considered.

The transfer books will be closed for 10 days prior to the 5th day of January.

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Owing to the death of Mr. Jacob Castelberg, this Store will be closed today and Thursday.

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DAILY SCHEDULE.

Steamboats and Railways

SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

PREMIER CARRIER OF THE SOUTH.

In Effect December 15, 1912.

N. B.—Following schedule figures are published only as information and are not guaranteed.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

7:47 A. M., Daily—Local between Washington & Danville delivers connection daily except Sunday at Orange to C. & O., No. 413 for Gordonsville and Richmond.

8:47 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:07 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail stops only for passengers to points south to which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; Sleeping cars to Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service. Stops at Calverton to let off Warrenton branch passengers.

11:17 A. M.—Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars from Greensboro to Atlanta.

4:22 P. M.—Week day—limited for Warrenton, Charlottesville and Harrisonburg.

4.52 P. M., Daily — Birmingham Special. Sleeping cars between New York, Atlanta, Columbus, Anniston, Birmingham. Through first class coaches between Washington, Atlanta, and Birmingham, Dining car service. Tourist to California six times weekly.

3:52 P. M.—Week day. Limited for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch, also for Warrenton. Pullman Buffet parlor cars.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton.

6:12 P. M.—The Southern's Southeastern Limited, for Asheville, Columbia, Charleston, Aiken, Augusta, Savannah and Jacksonville. Through Pullman Drawing room sleeping cars, coaches, dining cars.

10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg.) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York, Atlanta and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train. Club and observation car to New Orleans. Sleeping cars to Asheville, Atlanta, Macon and New Orleans. Sleeping cars to Charlotte. Dining car service.

4:27 A. M.—Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping car and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga, and Memphis. Dining Car service. Washington sleeping cars open 10 p. m.

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Leaves Sunday, Tuesday and Thursday at 9 a. m., for Wirt's Wharf and all intermediate landings. Returning leaves Wirt's Wharf at 5 a. m., the following days, arriving at Alexandria about 4 p. m.
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Alexandria wharf foot of Prince

Washington Utilities Co.

In Effect November 1, 191.

Leave Alexandria

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5:06, 5:40, 6:00, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:55, 7:05, 7:15, 7:30, 7:40, 8:00, 8:15, 8:25, 8:30, 8:50, 9:10, 9:30, 9:50, 10:10, 1030, 10:50, 11:10, 11:25, 11:30, 11:50 a. m., 12:10, 12:30, 12:50, 1:10, 1:25, 1:30, 1:50, 2:10, 2:25, 2:30, 2:50, 3:05, 3:25, 3:35, 3:50, 4:10, 4:25, 4:30, 4:40, 4:45, 5:05, 5:35, 5:50, 6:05, 6:20, 6:30, 7:00, 7:15, 7:25, 8:00, 8:30, 9:30, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00, and 11:55 p. m.

Sundays—7:00, 7:35, 8:10, 8:20, 8:40, 9:00, 9:20, 9:40, 10:00, 10:20, 10:40, 11:00, 11:20, 11:40, a. m., 12:00, m., 12:20, 12:40, 1:00, 1:20, 1:40, 2:00, 2:20, 2:40, 3:00, 3:20, 3:40, 4:00, 4:20, 4:40, 5:00, 5:20, 5:40, 6:00, 6:20, 6:40, 7:00, 7:20, 7:40, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00, 9:30, 10:00, 10:30, 11:00 and 11:10 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days at 5:35, 6:56 7:56, 8:51, 10:25, 11:25 a. m., 12:25, 1:25, 2:25, 3:30, 4:40, 5:30, 6:30, 7:35, 8:50, 9:50, 10:0, 11:50, P. M.

Sundays—7:00 8:30, 9:30, 10:30, 11:30, a. m., 1230, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 6:30 8:40, 7:30, 8:46 and 10:16 p. m.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond, and points south at 4:37, 7:53, (local) and 10:17 a. m., 12:16, 3:22 5:17 (local) 8:27, 9:57, 10:07 p. m., daily.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 11:13 a. m., daily except Sunday, when train leaves 2:18 p.m. This train runs through to Milford except Saturdays and Sundays.

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1 Qt. Keyport Whiskey	$ .75
1 Qt. XX Port Wine	.35
1 Qt. XX Sherry Wine	.35
1 Qt. XX Muscatel Wine	.35
	$1.80
Special price	$1.60

No.2.

1 Qt. Log Cabin Whiskey	.90
1 Qt XXX Port Wine	.50
1 Qt. XXX Sherry Wine	.50
1 Qt. XXX Angelica	.50
	$2.40
Special price	$2.15

No. 3.

1 Qt. Silver Wedding Whiskey	$1.00
1 Qt. New England or Jamaica Rum	.75
1 Qt. Barton Sherry Wine	.75
1 Qt. Catawba XX	.35
	$2.85
Special price	$2.50

No. 4.

1 Qt. Silver Wedding Whiskey	$1.00
1 Qt. Barton Port Wine	.75
1 Qt Barton Sherry Wine	.75
1 Qt. Best Tokay	.75
	$3.25
Special Price	$2.90

No. 5.

1 Qt. G. A. L. Whiskey	$1.25
1 Qt. Jamaica or New England Rum	1.00
1 Qt. XXX Brandy	1.00
1 Qt. Barton Port Wine	.75
	$4.00
Special price	$3.50

No. 6.

1 Qt. Colonial Cabinet Whiskey	$1.50
1 Qt. Imported Sherry Wine	1.00
1 Qt. Golden Seal Champagne	$1.25
1 Qt Crescent Brand Cocktails	$1.00
1 Bottle Cherries	.25
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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

At the first November rules, 191- at the Clerk's Office of the said Court at Alexandria, Virginia.

United States of America to the use of Robert J. Kennedy, Vt. Plaintiff

Arthur Cowsill and the Pacific Coast Casualty Company, a Corporation, Defendants

Upon application of the plaintiff, it is ordered that all creditors of Arthur Cowsill who have furnished labor or materials to said defendant in connection with the construction of buildings and tanks for wireless telegraph station at United States reservation at Arlington, Va., for which final settlement by the United States was made December 28, 1912, as set out in the declaration filed in the above cause, be, and they are hereby made parties to this suit, and that they be and they hereby are, required to file their intervening petition rerein as required by statute.

The object of this suit is to obtain a judgment against the defendant upon the bond given by them to the United States of America to secure the performance of the contract for the buildings and tanks for the wireless telegraph station at the United States Reservation, at Arlington, Virginia, and the prompt payment to all persons supplying labor and materials in the prosecution of said work in the penal sum of twenty one thousand dollars ($21,000.)

And it is further ordered that in order to give notice to such creditors if there are any, of their right to intervene in this cause, the above order shall be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper of general circulation published in Alexandria, Virginia, for three successive weeks, the last publication to be at least three months before the first of March, 1914, rules to be held in the Clerk's office of the said Court on the first Monday in March, 1914, which is limited as the time when creditors here by made parties to this suit shall file their claims.

Witness the Honorable Edmund Waddill, Jr., Judge of the District Court of the United States, this 3rd day of November, 1913, and in the one hundred and thirty-seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

November 3, -913.

EDMUND WADDILL, Jr.
U. S. District Judge.

A true Copy—Attest:
(Seal.)
JOSEPH P. BRADY, Clerk.
By R. E. Powers, Deputy Clerk.
JOSEPH D. SULLIVAN,
LEO P. HARLOW, p. q. 10 d 3 w

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Ladies' Handbags. Regular $2.75 and $3.00 value $1.98

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THREE MEN LYNCHED.

Mobs in South Dakota and Louisiana Hang White Man and Two Negroes.

Williston, N. Dak., Dec. 17.—Cleve Culbertson, recently convicted of murdering three members of the Dillon family, at Ray, N. Dak., was taken from the Williams county jail by a mob yesterday and hanged from a bridge near here.

Culbertson, while being dragged from the jail, pleaded for mercy, but was met with the reply:

"You did not show any mercy to the Dillons, and we'll show none to you."

Culbertson had been sentenced to the penitentiary for life.

Shreveport, La., Dec. 17.—Two negroes, Ernest and Frank Williams, were hanged by a mob at Blanchard, La., yesterday after they had confessed to killing Slavin Ballard, a white man. Ballard's body was found hacked to pieces in his store Monday evening.

Ballard gained his release from the Louisiana penitentiary some months ago, after he had killed three negro prisoners who were trying to escape. He was serving a ten year sentence for killing his brother, and was a "trusty" at the prison.

THIRTY-SIX MINERS DEAD.

Explosion of Fire Damp in Vulcan Mine, Colorado.

New Castle, Colo., Dec. 17.—Thirty-six miners lost their lives in an explosion of black damp in the Vulcan Mine of the Focky Mountain Fuel Company here, yesterday. But two men escaped from the mine.

They were working in the upper level of the mine. The victims were all in the lower level, every nook and corner of which was penetrated by the explosion. The shock was felt over the entire mountain and buildings above ground were rocked.

The explosion occurred at 10:30 o'clock in the morning.

PASTOR'S ADVICE.

"Spiritual Indigestion" Ailment of Many Who Attend Service Regularly.

Suffolk, Va., Dec. 17.—"Spiritual indigestion" is what many church members are suffering from, was the statement made by Rev. R. M. Maxey at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon, in his address to men and boys. To clinch his statements, Mr. Maxey called on five men, who said they attended church twice last Sunday, for texts, which none of them remembered. Mr. Maxey compared spiritual indigestion with physical indigestion and declared the causes were similar. Church people are in too big a hurry, he said, and wanted the preacher to dish out thin spiritual food in big lots highly spiced and he must not be long about it, either.

As a cure, he advised, the hearers to listen more prayerfully, read their Bibles with more thought, and to live their church and spiritual lives less strenuously.

NOTICE

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NOTICE OF MEETING.

A meeting of the George Washington Birthday Association will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday, December 17, at 8 o'clock, to consider business of importance.

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ADMINISTRATRIX'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administratrix of the estate of C. H. Madella, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement with the undersigned, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts, properly certified, for payment.

FLORENCE DAVIS MADELLA.
Administratrix.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The Citizens National Bank,
Alexandria, Va., December 13, 1913.

The annual meeting of stockholders of this bank for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly be brought before the meeting, will be held at the banking house Tuesday, January the 13th, 1914, at 12 o'clock noon.

RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Laura B. Blunt, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make settlement with me, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present the same to me properly verified for payment.

CHAS. T. BLUNT, Adm'r.
16 109 S. Fayette St.

FOR SALE—Several fresh milk cows and springers. James W. Micol, R. F. D. No. 3. Bell phone 473 J 4, or apply Duncan's Stables, Alexandria. 15-3t.

I. O. O. F. NOTICE.

All chevaliers of Canton Alexandria No. 1, Patriarchs Militant, I. O. O. F., are requested to attend a meeting on Thursday night, December 18, at 7:30 o'clock. Election of local and state officers.

By order of the Canton.
16-3t D. B. STANSBURY, Clerk.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Liberty Cartridge Co., will be held at the office of the Company, No. 107 N. Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on Friday, January 9, 1914, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the election of officers and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

16-t d E. M. FUNK, Prest.

LOST—On King street yesterday afternoon, an aigrette. Please return to Miss L. G. Webb, No. 7, Fairfax Apartment.

LOST.—On Wednesday, a green enameled gold pin, design two four-leaf clover. Liberal reward if returned to 421 King street. 5

FOR SALE.—One of the best established and most profitable newspaper, tobacco and stationery stands in the city. Will sacrifice owing to other business which requires my time. Excellent chance for live man. Address P. O. Box 268. 4 J

FOR RENT.—Store room, corner Columbus and Princess streets. Good business location. Moderate rent to good tenant. Apply at 518 Duke street. 16 3t

Stockholders' Meeting.

Annual meeting of the stockholders of the Washington Asphalt Block and Tile Company, will be held at 107 North Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., January 12th, 1914, at two o'clock, P. M., to elect a board of directors and to transact other business.

R. HARRISON JOHNSON,
12-13 President.

NOTICE.

Alexandria, Va., December 12th, 1913.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank, will be held at their banking house in Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, January 13th, 1914, at twelve o'clock noon, for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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WANTED—Small furnished room by single man, whose occupation requires him to be absent from Alexandria a considerable portion of his time. Must be cheap. Permanent. D. F. Brown, 1827 K street, N. W. Washington, D. C.

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WANTED—Girls to work on winding, doubling and spinning. New hands paid $3.50 per week; experienced hands, $4.50 to $7.00 per week. Apply at Klots Silk Mill, corner Pitt and Wilkes street.

LOST—One black horse mule three or four weeks ago near Langley, Va., weighs 1050 to 1100 pounds, and is about 12 years old. Notify Reliable Horse and Mule Co., 212 11th St., N. W., Washington, D. C. 5

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1 3-piece Solid Mahogany Library Suite. Leather. Value $120.00 ..... $100.00

1 Fine Mahogany Comfort Chair; best Spanish leather. Value, $70.00 ..... $56.00

1 Solid Oak Davenport; best in all respects. Value, $140.00 ..... $92.50

1 Solid Mahogany Settee; Spanish leather. Value, $45.00 ..... $35.00

Extra large Turkish Chairs; Spanish leather. Value, $50.00 ..... $39.90

Mahogany Settee, in hand-buffed leather. Value, $95.00 ..... $75.00

Mahogany Leather Chair; extra spacious and fine. Value, $145.00 ..... $100.00

Very large Chair, with loose cushions; rarely equaled Value, $90.50 ..... $78.85

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Salt Cellars, Each $3.25
Salt and Peppers, Glass lining, Pair $4.00
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Solid Color Chenille Rugs; blue, brown, pink, green, and grays; 36x63 inches. Value, $9.00, for $6.75

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Excellent rug for any room; oriental patterns and colorings. 27x54 inches. Value $6.50, for $5.25

Seamless Axminsters
6x9 ft. Value $16.00. Special $12.50
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Brush and Comb Sets $5.25
Hat Brushes $1.50
Clothes Brushes $2.00
Military Brushes and Comb Set $4.25
Napkin Holder $3.50
Pin Trays, Each ..... $1.75 to $4.00
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Tumblers, to match. Dozen $12.00
Pitcher, wild rose cut $5.00
Tumblers to match. Dozen $9.00
Pitcher, pin wheel cut $4.50
Tumblers to match. Dozen $8.00
Powder Boxes ..... $2.50 to $12.00
Hair Receivers, Each $5.00
Cologne Bottles ..... $3.00 to $8.00
Salve Boxes $2.00
Brush and Comb Trays $4.50 to $5
Hatpin Holders $2.25

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Notice of Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Alexandria National Bank will be held in the office of the banking house at the corner of King and Royal streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 13th day of January 1914, at 11-12 o'clock, for the election of Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

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ELECTRICITY KILLS WORKER.

Switchboard Tender Receives 5000 Volts Through Hand.

Philadelphia, Dec. 17.—James Burns, 23 years old, was killed instantly Monday morning when a current of 5000 volts passed through his body. The accident occurred in the plant of the Philadelphia Electric Company, Gray's Ferry road and Carpenter street, where the man had been employed to tend a switchboard which controlled the dynamos.

So far it can be determined, Burns bare hand came in contact with one of the plugs used on the switchboard. In an instant thousands of sparks came from his body and he was thrown across the room. Fellow-employes picked him up and administered first aid until the arrival of the patrol wagon which took him to the Polyclinic Hospital. Physicians there declared that death had been instantaneous. His hands and parts of his arms were burned to a crisp.

REFERENDUM OUSTS TEACHER.

Afterward Arrested With Two Others on Pupil's Assault Charge.

Gas City, Kan., Dec. 17.—Miss Susie Austin, a teacher in the public schools here, who resigned last Friday after a "recall" vote of her pupils; T. E. Osborne, superintendent of the school, and Miss Rose Corns, another teacher, were arrested yesterday on charges of assault and battery in connection with the whipping of Ray Miller, a 12-year-old pupil.

The father complained to the county authorities that Ray had been whipped with a piece of rubber hose. The county attorney asked a vote of the pupils in Miss Austin's room as to whether they desired a new teacher. The vote was against her and Miss Austin resigned.

The three teachers gave bond to appear in court next month.

THREE BURNED TO DEATH.

Fireman, His Mother And Sister Trapped in Blaze.

New York, Dec. 17.—A city fireman, his mother and sister were burned to death early yesterday in a fire which practically destroyed a five-story apartment building in which they lived at 366 Amsterdam avenue.

Flames which started in the basement spread so rapidly that the 50 occupants of apartments found all exists cut off when aroused by the arrival of the firemen. Thrilling rescues were effected from third and fourth story windows, but seven persons were injured by the flames or by jumping to the street.

Thomas J. McManus, on leave, was at home with his mother, Mrs. Mary McManus, and his sister, Mary. All three were trapped and the firemen were unable to reach them. One of the would-be rescuers was probably fatally injured by falling from a ladder while trying to make his way to McManus' rooms.

The loss is estimated at $25,000.

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LaVallieres $2.75 to $20.00
Brooches .. 25c to $50.00
Belt Pins .. 25c to $4.00
Hat Pins .. 25c to $2.00
Cuff Buttons, 25c to $5.00
Rings .$1.50 to $250.00
Manicure Sets $4.00 to $9.00
Toilet Sets $5.50 to $18.00
Jewelry Cases $1.50 to $5.00
Salve Jars 25c to $1.25
Mesh Bags $2.50 to $11.00
Back Combs $1.50 to $3.75

For Men and Boys.

Watch .. $1.00 to $50.00
Chain .. .25c to $25.00
Fob .. .25c to $16.00
Charms $1.00 to $40.00
Cuff Buttons 25c to $21.00
Scarf Pins 25c to $25.00
Tie Clasps, 25c to $4.00
Studds .. 25c to $10.00
Ring .$1.50 to $250.00
Emblem Pin or Button .. 25c to $2.50
Cigarette Cases ..... $6.00 to $9.00
Match Boxes $1.50 to $2.75
Silver Pencils 25c to $1.50
Tooth Picks $1.00 to $2.00
Comb and Brush Sets ..... $3.00 to $10.00
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